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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk/Executive Director Public Service Commission of South Carolina

> Exploration of a South Carolina Competitive Procurement Program for the Competitive Procurement of Energy and Capacity from Solar and Other Renewable Energy Facilities by an Electrical Utility as Allowed by South Carolina Code Section 58-41-20(E)(2) (See Directive Issued on November 25, 2019),

• Docket 2019-365-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

I write on behalf of the Carolinas Clean Energy Business Association ("CCEBA"), Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC"), Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP"), Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. ("DESC"), Ecoplexus Inc., Southern Current, LLC, and Cypress Creek Renewables, LLC, (collectively, the "Interested Parties") regarding the Interested Parties' proposal for a procedural path forward in this generic docket and in utility-specific dockets related to the procurement of renewable resources as authorized under S.C. Code Ann. § 58-41-20(E)(2).

At the conclusion of the evidentiary hearing on March 9-10, 2021, CCEBA's counsel requested that the parties have an opportunity to confer and attempt to reach consensus on a proposal for a procedural path forward in this docket. On March 22, the Interested Parties filed a letter stating that they had begun discussions and that they would file either a procedural proposal or an update on the status of discussions within two weeks.

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CCEBA has engaged the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff in this discussion.

The Interested Parties have yet to reach consensus, and intend to file either a procedural proposal or a further update within two weeks.

Respectfully Submitted,

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As Counsel to the Carolinas Clean Energy Business Association; Ecoplexus Inc.; Cypress Creek Renewables, LLC and Southern Current, LLC.

/s/Rebecca J. Dulin,

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As Counsel to Duke Energy Carolina, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC

/s/ J. Ashley Cooper,

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As Counsel to Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc.

cc: All parties of record in Docket 2019-365-E, via electronic mail